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the specification of which was filed on May 14, 2001, as U.S. Application Serial No. 09/854,743. I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

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Pursuant to our telephone conversation, transmitted please find the executed declaration to be filed in the Patent Application No. 09/854,743 filed on May 14, 2001, entitled FAIR DISCLOSURE WEBSITE FOR THE OFFSHORE DRILLING INDUSTRY. This declaration is also being malled to the US Patent Office on this the 30th day of November, 2001.

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